

Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): An aqueous rinse-off cleansing and conditioning composition comprising:

- a) from about 2 to about 40% by weight of an anionic surfactant;
- b) from about 0.1 to about 20% by weight of a co-surfactant which is an ethoxylated cocomonoethanolamide with EO ranging from about 2 to about [12] 6;
- c) from about 0.001 to about 10% by weight of a cationic polymer ; and
- d) from about 0.01 to about 30% by weight of water insoluble components with an average particle size of less than 2 μ m.

Claim 2 (currently amended): An aqueous rinse-off cleansing and conditioning composition comprising:

- a) from about 2 to about 40% by weight of an anionic surfactant;
- b) from about 0.1 to about 20% by weight of a co-surfactant which is an ethoxylated cocomonoethanolamide with EO ranging from about 2 to about [12] 6;
- c) from about 0.001 to about 10% by weight of a cationic polymer ; and
- d) from about 0.01 to about 30% by weight of water insoluble components with an average particle size of less than about 2 μ m;

wherein a), b) and c) in a premixture with water at a ratio of premixture:water at about 1:10 forms a turbid mixture.

Claim 3 (original): A composition according to claim 1 wherein said anionic surfactant is selected from the group consisting of the alkyl sulfates, alkyl ether sulfates, alkaryl sulfonates, alkaroyl isethionates, alkyl succinate, alkyl sulphosuccinates, N-alkoyl sarcosinates, alkyl phosphates, alkyl ether phosphates, alkyl ether carboxylates, alpha-olefin sulfonates and mixtures thereof.

Claim 4 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 further comprising an amphoteric surfactant selected from the group consisting of alkyl amine oxides, alkyl betaines, alkyl amidopropyl betaines, alkyl sulfobetaines, alkyl glycicates, alkyl carboxy glycicates, alkyl amphi propionates, alkyl amidopropyl hydroxysultaines, acyl taurates , acyl glutamates, and mixtures thereof.

Claim 5 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 4 wherein said amphoteric surfactant is acyl taurate or acyl glutamate, and wherein said acyl groups have from about 8 to about 18 carbon atoms.

Claim 6 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 4 wherein said amphoteric surfactant is an alkyl betaine selected from the group consisting of cocodimethyl sulfopropyl betaine, lauryl betaine, and mixtures thereof.

Claim 7 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 4 wherein said amphoteric surfactant is sodium amphopropionate.

Claims 8-12 (canceled)

Claim 13 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 wherein the cosurfactant is an ethoxylated cocomonoethanolamide with EO ranging about 3 to about 6.

Claim 14 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 wherein the cationic conditioning polymer is selected from the group consisting of cationic cellulose derivatives; cationic starches'; copolymers of a dialkyl quaternary ammonium salt and acrylamide; quaternized polyvinylpyrrolidone; quaternized vinylpyrrolidone vinylimidazol polymers; polyglycol amide condensates; quaternized collagen polypeptides; polyethylene amines; cationized silicon polymers; cationic silicone polymers; copolymers of adipic acid and dimethylaminohydroxypropyl diethylene triamine; polyaminopolyamide and their water soluble crosslinked polymers; cationic chitin derivatives; cationic guar gums; and mixtures thereof.

Claim 15 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 wherein the cationic polymer is guar hydroxypropyl trimethyl ammonium chloride.

Claim 16 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 wherein the water insoluble components is an emulsion of cyclomethicone.

Claim 17 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 wherein the water insoluble components is a silicone oil selected from the group consisting of polyalkyl siloxanes, polyalkyl aryl siloxanes and mixtures thereof.

Claim 18 (canceled)

Claim 19 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 wherein the water insoluble components is a silicone oil that has an average particle size of from about 0.05 to about 2 μm .

Claim 20 (original): A composition according to claim 1 which further comprises one or more components selected from the group consisting of pH adjusting agents, viscosity modifiers, talc, kaolin, suspending agents, preservatives, coloring agents, dyes, proteins, herb and plant extracts, polyols, alpha hydroxy acids and sunscreens.

Claim 21 (original): A composition according to claim 1 wherein said surfactant and co-surfactant is a mixture comprising ALS/ AL(EO),S/ CMEA/ CM(EO)₅A.

Claim 22 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 wherein said surfactant and co-surfactant is a mixture comprising ALS/ AL(EO)₂S / CMEA/ CM(EO)₅A.

Claims 23 (withdrawn): A method for treating hair, which comprises contacting said hair with a composition according to claim 1.

Claim 24 (withdrawn): A method for treating skin, which comprises contacting said skin with a composition according to claim 1.

Claim 25 (withdrawn): A method for enhancing the deposition of a silicone on hair which comprises contacting said hair with an aqueous rinse-off cleansing and conditioning composition comprising:

- a) from about 2 to about 40% by weight of surfactant selected from the group consisting of an anionic surfactant, an amphoteric surfactant, a nonionic surfactant, and mixtures thereof;
- b) from about 0.01 to about 20% by weight of a co-surfactant which is an alkoxylated nonionic surfactant, the alkoxylated nonionic surfactant not being an ethoxylated fatty alcohol containing 6 to 30 ethylene oxide groups;
- c) from about 0.001 to about 10% by weight of a cationic polymer; and
- d) from about 0.01 to about 30% by weight of water insoluble components with an average particle size of less than about 2 μm and wherein said water insoluble components comprise a silicone.

Claim 26 (canceled)

Claim 27 (previously presented): A composition according to claim 1 wherein the ethoxylated cocomonoethanolamide has EO to an extent selected from the group consisting of 2 EO, 3.5 EO and 4.5 EO groups.